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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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(10-19-49)

DATE: 12-27-49

TO : Director, F. B. I.

FROM : SAC, UPR

SUBJECT: Clinton Edward Jencks, wa

Clinton Edward Jencks

Internal Security - C Bufile 100-39680

The captioned individual has been the subject of a security investigation by this office. The Albuquerque Division has verified the permanent presence of the subject in its division as residing and working at the addresses listed below. The Albuquerque Division is being considered the new office of origin.

Residence Address: Orchard St - House Number 604
Bazard, N.M.

Business Address: Union Hall, Local 890
IUMMSW-CIO
Bazard, N.M.

Check the following applicable statements:

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- ☒ This individual has been the subject of a Communist Index Card.
- ☒ This individual is the subject of a Security Index Card.
(The Bureau is requested to make the appropriate changes in the Security Index at the Seat of Government. The Albuquerque should affix the addresses reflected above and the appropriate case file number.)
- ☒ This subject was tabbed for detcom.
- ☒ This subject was tabbed for comsab.
- ☒ This subject was carried as a Key Figure or Top Functionary.
- ☒ Handwriting specimens have been furnished to the Bureau.
- ☒ A photograph has been furnished to the Bureau.

The following pertinent items are being forwarded to the new office of origin with its copies of this letter.

☒ Security Index Cards

Serials (specify)

Entire file (2 volumes) new office opened at Albuquerque.

RUC

cc: _____ Division (encl.)

Copies 2 Bureau
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1 UPR

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SAC, Albuquerque

March 1, 1950

SAC, Denver

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, alias
Clinton Edward Jenks
SECURITY MATTER - C
(Albuquerque File: 100-136)

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Reference is made to your letter dated February 13, 1950, regarding the above-named Subject; and also to your letter dated February 21, 1950, concerning Subject's wife, VIRGINIA DERR JENCKS.

Please be advised that the El Paso Office received complete information maintained at Denver, Colorado, concerning these above Subjects, and was made the Office of Origin on June 20, 1947. Since that time, these Subjects have resided within the territory now covered by the Albuquerque Office.

There is no documentary record available at Denver, Colorado, concerning the membership in the Communist Party or the Communist Political Association of CLINTON JENCKS or his wife VIRGINIA JENCKS, and a review of the Denver Office files fails to disclose any photographs of such membership cards.

Also, contacts with Confidential Informants at Denver, Colorado, have failed to reveal any information pertaining to either Subject advocating the overthrow of the United States by force and violence, or any statements attacking the United States imperialism or defending the Soviet Union.

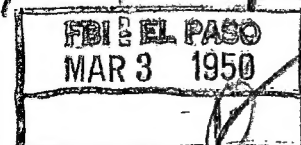
EDWARD JAMES CURRIE, who is a former member of the Communist Party at Denver, Colorado, and who furnished a signed statement concerning CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, which was sent to your office by report dated January 4, 1950, advised that he had never heard Subject make any such statements, stating he was also acquainted with VIRGINIA JENCKS.

If the Albuquerque Office has not obtained complete information previously furnished the El Paso Office, it is suggested that the El Paso Office be requested to provide same to Albuquerque. This matter is being RUC'd by the Denver Office.

cc: El Paso (100-4001) ✓
Albuquerque File 100-20

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Director, FBI

March 24, 1950

SAC, Albuquerque

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
wa. Clinton Edward Jenks
Internal Security - C
Bufile 100-39680

ATTN: Identification Division

Reference is made to letter from El Paso to the Bureau dated July 29, 1949, requesting that a stop be placed with the Identification Division concerning subject FBI #92 245 A.

In view of the fact that subject resides within the territory now covered by the Albuquerque Office, it is requested that this office be furnished any information coming to the attention of the Identification Division concerning subject, who is a Security Index Card Subject. It is, therefore, requested that a stop be placed for this office and removed so far as the El Paso Office is concerned.

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FBI - EL PASO
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El Paso, Texas
October 18, 1951

MEMO, SAC:

RE: COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
DISTRICT NUMBER 23
EL PASO DIVISION
INTERNAL SECURITY - C
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

FOIA(b)(7) - (D)

The following information was received from [redacted] of known reliability, by SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS on 10-16-51:

On 10-8-51 following a previous arrangement [redacted]

[redacted] they were to meet [redacted] at the Reclamation Bureau grounds at Elephant Butte Dam at 1:00 P. M. on 10-14-51. This meeting took place on schedule, the details of which are as follows:

[redacted]

FLORES said he did not get there on 10-8-51 because he had some trouble at home. JARVIS had planned previously not to attend the meeting on the 8th. GORE asked JARVIS why he decided to attend this meeting, and JARVIS answered that he was afraid he would lose contact with the group if he didn't come, and he just wanted to be with some "party" people for a while again.

GORE asked JARVIS if conditions were the same in El Paso as they were a month before, and JARVIS answered, "Yes," they were the same.

GORE said that he had very little news because the New Mexico State Board has not met, and no one has seen or heard from JOE DI SANTI in the past six weeks. He said he did not think this Security Commission could do much more until the State Board meets. GORE said that someone in Albuquerque has three

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cc: E. J. CONNELLEY, Assistant Director

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letters from Denver for JOE DI SANTI, but DI SANTI is still "under cover."

GORE said he knows where DI SANTI is, but does not think he should try to contact him directly. GORE gave to BENNY FLORES and BILL JARVIS the following address of a "non-party" person, a girl, who he said would take the mail to him at the "college:"

ROZ M. STEIN
1534 E. Lead
Albuquerque, New Mexico

[] advised in connection with the above that the middle initial is false and denotes mail intended for JACK GORE and which will not be opened, but will be given to GORE.

GORE thought meetings should be stopped until the State Board functions or JOE DI SANTI is contacted or until someone of the present committee has a reason to call a meeting.

In case a meeting is wanted, FLORES or JARVIS can write a letter to the above address, stating briefly what he wants.

If GORE wants to call a meeting, he will send a postal card to FLORES and JARVIS that will signify to meet on the following regular meeting Sunday at the Government fish hatcheries at Hot Springs, New Mexico.

FLORES advised that he was unable to get a mailing address or other "party" cooperation in Bayard, New Mexico, because everyone there is scared. He said one "party" member was going to burn his "party" books. He also said that the members are not holding any meetings at all because they are scared.

FLORES said also that BOB HOLLOWAY (BOB HOLLOWA) was fired from the International Union of Mine-Mill (and Smelter Workers) and that HOLLOWAY has left Bayard, New Mexico, now. FLORES said that HOLLOWAY's family live in Arizona.

FLORES stated that CLINTON JENKS (CLINTON JENCKS) asked him to arrange a meeting for him (FLORES) with JOE DI SANTI or someone else to see if some pressure could be put on the International Union to restore HOLLOWAY to his job.

FLORES said that things in general are not good in Bayard because of the state of affairs of the Union there.

It was agreed that if GORE could arrange a meeting between CLINTON JENCKS and DI SANTI or ANNA BARY, that he would notify FLORES and that the meeting would be held at the fish hatcheries at Hot Springs with GORE present. All meetings, of course, remain on alternate Sundays from the last meeting. A card sent to FLORES which mentions "car trouble" means that the meeting will be with JOE DI SANTI.

There was only a little comment on the GUS HALL publicity. BENNY FLORES and BILL JARVIS remarked that they had seen the newspaper articles. GORE said he saw the articles and was amazed at the fact that HALL got as far as Mexico City without being recognized, because he is so tall, large, and light complected. GORE seemed surprised to know that such an event was taking place 'way out here.

GORE said his mother visited them and that JEAN GORE's mother had visited them at different weeks in the past month. GORE said that he is from Detroit and that JEAN GORE is from Chicago.

BENNY FLORES said that ANNA MEDIC was going to Bayard, New Mexico, sometime soon to give a talk.

The next meeting will be called when wanted by the will of any of the four members of this security meeting, notification of such meeting being as described above.

It is noted in connection with the persons mentioned in the above information that JACK GORE is mentioned in the report of SA THORNTON M. WOOD at New York dated 1-9-50, entitled "Organizing Committee for the Labor Youth League, aka National Organizing Conference for Labor Youth League, Labor Youth League, LYL, INTERNAL SECURITY - C," New York origin, New York File 100-95240, of which copies were furnished to all offices in continental United States. On Page 24 of this report appears the name of JACK GORE - Michigan, as being on a list of officials of the National Organizing Committee and one of the sixteen members of this temporary committee, according to an article appearing in the "Daily Worker," May 30, 1949, Page 3, Column 1, reflecting upon the formation of the LYL.

Page 30 of this report reflects the name JACK GORE, National Committeeman, Michigan, also that Confidential Informant T-41, of known reliability, advised that GORE was made Youth Director of District No. 7, Communist Party, U. S. A., on July 1, 1947.

On January 29, 1949, Confidential Informant T-42, of known reliability, advised that GORE had recently been appointed to a Youth Commission in the Communist Party.

FOIA(b) (7) - (D)

Further information concerning JACK GORE is contained on Page 2 of the letter to the Bureau dated August 14, 1951, captioned "Communist Party, USA, Underground Activities, Internal Security - C, Internal Security Act of 1950," El Paso File 100-4995, which indicates that JACK GORE resides at 2407 Iris Road, Albuquerque, New Mexico, that he is driving a late model green Ford coupe bearing 1951 New Mexico License 239589. It is also mentioned in this same paragraph on Page 2 that BENNY FLORES is driving a 1947 Dodge coupe, green in color, bearing a 1951 New Mexico license 8313.

In El Paso File 100-4995-21, Page 2, also appears the name of JACK GORE as attending a meeting of the Security Commission of the Communist Party on 8-20-51 in Hatch, New Mexico. ANNA BARY was also present at this meeting.

Page 5 of 100-4995-21 indicates that JACK and JEAN GORE were among those present at a meeting of the Security Commission of the New Mexico-El Paso District of the Communist Party held on 9-2-51 at Truth or Consequences (Hot Springs), New Mexico.

As concerns the mail drop, ROZ STEIN, mentioned above, the El Paso files reflect that one ROSLYN STEIN was mentioned in Serial 36 of 100-3755, captioned "National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Internal Security - C." It is noted that the entire file, including any information concerning this matter, was previously forwarded to the Albuquerque Office on 12-27-49 with the entire file.

The Albuquerque Office has been furnished, by airmail special delivery letter dated 1-16-51, with details contained in the above, which might assist in the location of DI SANTI. The original notes of [] are being retained []

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, EL PASO

FROM : SA GLENN C. DERSHEM

SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, Was.
SECURITY MATTER - C

DATE: June 17, 1952

On June 10, 1952 the writer contacted IVAN MILBURN, AF 38604926, 1st Strategic Support Squadron, Biggs Air Force Base, regarding an unrelated matter and at this time MILBURN stated that in his estimation CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, leader of the Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers Local 890, CIO, Bayard, New Mexico, is probably a Communist.

He stated that he does not know any Communists as such but from speeches that JENCKS has made and through the way he runs the Union, he (MILBURN) believes JENCKS has Communistic sympathies.

Mr. MILBURN added that he has never heard JENCKS admit being a Communist and has never seen anything which would give definite proof that JENCKS is a Communist Party member.

MILBURN was unable to furnish any further information regarding JENCKS and any subversive tendencies.

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DATE 1-23-53

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Clinton Jencks

ALIASES

C. E. Jencks, Clint, Clinton E, Clinton Edward

ADDRESS

DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH

☐ Exact Spelling
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SAC, El Paso (122-8)

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SAC, Phoenix (122-8)

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LMRA 1947
(OO - El Paso)

Re Albuquerque let to Phoenix, 3/14/55.

Since El Paso is presently origin in the captioned matter, as well as office of prosecution, it is suggested the El Paso office continue as origin to the completion of all appeal action and final reporting.

*Handwritten: **
It is noted JENCKS is presently a resident of Tucson, Arizona, and the Phoenix office is origin in his SM-C case. Therefore EP is requested to furnish copies of pertinent communications in captioned matter for information of Px file 100-3262. RUC.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-39680)
(122-232)

DATE: 5/10/55

FROM : SAC, EL PASO (100-4001)(122-8)

SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS

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CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS

LMRA, 1947 (SM)

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It will be noted that the Phoenix Office is the office of origin in the IS-C case while the El Paso Office is the office of origin and prosecution in the LMRA, 1947 (SM) case concerning JENCKS.

The New York Office by letter dated April 27, 1955, to Butte captioned "MARCH OF LABOR, IS - C, NEW YORK ORIGIN", advised several offices, not including Phoenix, that on December 22, 1954, the House Committee on Un-American Activities, issued a pamphlet entitled "REPORT ON THE MARCH OF LABOR". The Bureau by letter to New York dated January 11, 1955, instructed the New York Office to review this report and disseminate to the several offices information appearing in the report. The Bureau instructed that the information dealing with individuals residing in the respective field office's territory be included in an investigative report submitted under each individual case caption. The letter from New York dated April 27, 1955, further instructed that every office receiving this letter should comply with the instructions contained therein and any office

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cc: 2 - Denver (122-9)(Info)(RM)
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4 - Phoenix (100-3262)(122-8)(encls. 3)(RM)
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which was not the office of origin in the pertinent individual case, was instructed to make this information available to the office of origin.

Inasmuch as this data appears to be concerned with the JENCKS case generally and not necessarily pertinent to the disposition of the LMRA case of which El Paso is origin, the Phoenix Office is being furnished with the enclosures forwarded to El Paso by the New York Office, which consists of pages 16, 19 and 20 in the form of photostats of the HCUA report containing information pertinent to the particular subject (JENCKS).

Page 16 indicates a "table showing individuals identified as Communist Party members before the Committee on Un-American Activities who contributed articles to the 'March of Labor' - Continued".

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Identified as Communist before Committee</u>	<u>Date Article Appeared in March Of Labor</u>
CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS	1952 (convicted on charges of falsifying Taft-Hartley non-Communist Affidavit)	August 1951, page 5

It is being left to the discretion of the Phoenix Office as to whether this clipping of the MOL article should be requested from the New York Office.

Page 19, which was a photostat enclosure reflected as follows: "March of Labor has backed such unionists" as: CLINTON JENCKS, former president of Local 890, Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, convicted in January 1955 of falsely signing a Taft-Hartley non-Communist affidavit;"

Page 20, a photostat is devoted primarily to the background and a general documentation of March of Labor. This data is not being recorded or retained in the El Paso Office inasmuch as the Bureau instructed by SAC Letter 55-4,

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dated January 18, 1955, that the following thumbnail sketch be used in connection with the March of Labor and that this would supplement all previous thumbnail sketches used.

"The House Committee on Un-American Activities in a report dated December 22, 1954, captioned 'Report on the March of Labor' states on page one 'A publication which today is carrying out the dictates of Lenin by bringing disguised Communist propaganda into the ranks of American workers is the March of Labor'".

The Phoenix Office is being requested to include the above data in the next investigative report in the JENCKS case.

Copies of this communication are being furnished to the Denver Office inasmuch as JENCKS is a part of the IUMMSW organization concerning which Denver is origin.

It is to be noted that Assistant U.S. Attorney, HOLVEY WILLIAMS has previously indicated that the JENCKS case is pending before the U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Judicial District, New Orleans, Louisiana, and that the earliest oral arguments in this case are scheduled at New Orleans on or about May 24, 1955. It is also indicated that if the Government attorneys so desire, they may at the same time, if prepared, argue the appeal of JENCKS' denial of a "Motion for a New Trial" which was denied at El Paso, Texas, on March 12, 1955, by U.S. Judge R. E. THOMASON.

The Phoenix Office will be furnished with further pertinent data concerning CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, as it is noted.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Form No. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT

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REPORT MADE AT PHOENIX	DATE WHEN MADE 5/9/55	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 4/16, 19, 24, 25, 27, 28/55	REPORT MADE BY SA JOHN F. SHEIK clw
TITLE CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, wa. 51-1			CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - C

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, as of 4/27/55, resides with wife, VIRGINIA JENCKS, and family at 2962 East 23rd Street, Tucson, Arizona. CLINTON JENCKS is presently employed as International Representative of IUMSW in Tucson, Arizona. Subject's motion for a new trial of his conviction under L.M.R.A., 1947, denied 3/12/54 USDC, El Paso, Texas. ELIZABETH MOOS, Executive Secretary, Committee on Education of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship, stated 1/27/54 that she had visited CLINTON JENCKS at Tucson 1/26/55.

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DETAILS:

All informants mentioned in this report have furnished reliable information in the past unless the contrary is indicated.

I. BACKGROUND

Residence:

As of April 27, 1955, the subject is living with his wife, VIRGINIA JENCKS, and family at 2962 East 23rd Street, Tucson, Arizona.

Mrs. FRANK GOULD
2958 East 23rd Street
Tucson, Arizona (4-27-55)

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The subject and his family lived at 733 West Calle Castile, Tucson, from January 5 to April 4, 1955. On this date subject moved to 2962 East 23rd Street, Tucson.

Mrs. WILLIAM ANDERSON
741 East Calle Castile
Tucson, Arizona
(4-16-55)

Occupation:

As of April 25, 1955, subject is employed by the International Union of Mine-Mill and Smelter Workers as an International Representative at Tucson, Arizona, servicing copper mines at San Manuel, Ray, and Superior, Arizona.

T-1 (4-25-55)

II. MISCELLANEOUS

International Union of Mine-Mill and Smelter Workers:

GEORGE MORRIS, in his column, "World of Labor", in the "Worker" March 28, 1954, Page 3, Column 1, described the IUMSW as follows: "A union that embodies the best militant progressive traditions of American labor, a union with the stormiest history, a union the CIO expelled in 1950 because it was too left for them."

"The Worker" is the Sunday edition of "The Daily Worker", which is an East Coast Communist Daily Newspaper.

The IUMSW was one of the unions expelled from the CIO in 1950 due to alleged Communist domination of its policies.

On November 13, 14, 1954, the IUMSW held a Southwest Regional Conference in the Santa Rita Hotel, Tucson, Arizona. This conference was highlighted by a speech by MAURICE TRAVIS, former officer of the IUMSW, Denver, Colorado. TRAVIS spoke of his arrest and indictment in Denver, Colorado, in October of 1954, in connection with a violation of the Labor Management Relations Act.

CLINTON JENCKS also made a speech at this conference concerning the indictment of MAURICE TRAVIS at Denver, Colorado, and stated it was quite possible there might be other arrests of IUMSW union officials in the future.

T-1 (11-15-54)

PX 100-3262

On January 29, 1955, the IUMMSW held a meeting at El Paso, Texas, referred to as the Union Defense Conference. This conference concerned itself with the application of CLINTON JENCKS for a new trial of the charges against him under the IMRA, 1947, which had previously terminated in a conviction in January, 1954. CLINTON JENCKS was a speaker before the conference and he devoted his talk to a discussion of the affidavit filed by HARVEY MATUSOW in the application for a new trial. JENCKS also referred to a book which was coming out by HARVEY MATUSOW. CLINTON JENCKS advised this book or manuscript prepared by MATUSOW was being purchased by the IUMMSW and MATUSOW's book would be available to all delegates at the time of the next conference of the union.

T-2 (1-31-55)

On March 13, 1955, the Arizona Daily Star printed an Associated Press dispatch dated March 12, 1955, El Paso, Texas, which reflected that U.S. District Judge R.E. THOMASON had refused to grant a new trial of the charges against CLINTON JENCKS. Judge THOMASON refused to set aside the conviction of CLINTON JENCKS in January, 1954, in violating the IMRA, 1947, by filing false, non-Communist affidavits. In addition he held witness HARVEY MATUSOW in criminal contempt of court.

Acquaintanceship with
ELIZABETH MOOS:

ELIZABETH MOOS is an educator and lecturer under sponsorship of the New World Review Committee, a staff member of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship, indicted for refusing to register the Peace Information Center as an agency of a foreign power.

Daily People's World
Page 3 (1-15-53)

ELIZABETH MOOS is a "former Bronx teacher, Executive Secretary of the Committee on Education of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship."

Testimony of WALTER STEELE
Page 62, House UnAmerican
Activities Committee
(7-21-47)

The National Council of American-Soviet Friendship is an organization cited by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

ELIZABETH MOOS arrived in Tucson, Arizona, 10:00 AM January 26, 1955, in order to make a lecture in the Tucson area. On January 27, 1955, ELIZABETH MOOS was present at a luncheon in her honor at the residence of ISADORE GITMAN, 128 South Fourth Avenue, Tucson. ELIZABETH MOOS said to the assembled luncheon group that the first thing she did when arriving in Tucson, Arizona, was to drive to the residence of CLINTON JENCKS and to have a visit with JENCKS.

On January 27, 1955, ELIZABETH MOOS gave a lecture to a selected group at the residence of ISADORE GITMAN, 128 South Fourth Avenue, Tucson, Arizona. RICHARD WUSSER, self admitted head of the Communist Party in Tucson, after a talk by ELIZABETH MOOS criticizing the school system in the United States and praising the educational program in Russia, made a speech to the assembled group in which he appealed on behalf of CLINTON JENCKS. WUSSER utilized the case of CLINTON JENCKS in his request to the group to donate \$5 and \$10 bills to show their interest in such fights.

T-3 (2-2-55)

Neighborhood:

Mrs. WILLIAM ANDERSON, 741 West Calle Castile, Tucson, on April 19, 1955, advised she had been a neighbor of CLINTON JENCKS during the entire time he resided at 733 West Calle Castile. Mrs. ANDERSON stated the JENCKS family kept entirely to themselves and did not associate with any of the neighbors on the street.

Mrs. FRANK GOULD, 2958 East 23rd Street, Tucson, on April 27, 1955, advised CLINTON JENCKS, since moving to his new residence at 2962 West 23rd Street, had kept to himself and not associated with any of the neighbors on the block. She knew nothing of subject's activities other than seeing him in his back yard after working hours or early in the morning.

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Mrs. ROBERT WHITE, 1328 South Winmore, Tucson, advised April 27, 1955, she is a neighbor of CLINTON JENCKS but she does not know him. She stated he does not associate with any of the neighbors and keeps to himself. She stated she knew nothing of JENCKS' activities other than she occasionally sees him in his back yard with his son or daughter.

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Subject is being considered a key figure by the Phoenix Office and appropriate notification of the Bureau is being made as to this fact.

Subject is on the Security Index list of the Phoenix Office and in order to render correct SI card, FD-122 has been submitted to the Bureau reflecting subject's new address.

Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and "T" symbols were utilized in the report only in those instances where identities of the sources must be concealed.

INFORMANTS

IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OR DESCRIPTION OF MEETING AND/OR ACTIVITY	DATE REC'D	TYPE OF REPORT AND AGENT RECEIVING	FILE WHERE LOCATED
T-1: CS WARREN MORIE 207 W. Columbia Tucson (Worker for United Steel Workers) at request.	Subject's occupation IUMSW conference 11-13-54	4-25-55 11-15-54	Oral-SA John F. Sheik " " " " "	Instant "
T-2: [REDACTED]	IUMSW conference 1-29-55	1-31-55	Oral-SA Emmet J. Murphy	100-1847
T-3: [REDACTED]	Visit of ELIZABETH MOOS 1-26, 27-55	2-2-55	Oral and written SA James J. Welch	[REDACTED]

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EL PASO DIVISION:

(INFORMATION)

A copy of this report has been designated for the information of the El Paso Office inasmuch as that office is office of origin in the IMRA, 1947, Case relating to subject.

REFERENCE

Report SA Lloyd B. Hashman, Denver, 3/28/55.

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SAC, EL PASO (122-8)

5/18/55

SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LMRA, 1947 (SM)

On 5/9/55 AUSA HOLVEY WILLIAMS made available a copy of the brief (printed) in the case of CLINTON E. JENCKS vs. United States of America #15, 157, which is to be filed in the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth District ~~at~~ at New Orleans, ~~xxxx~~ Louisiana, on 5/10/55.

Inasmuch as pertinent information is contained therein concerning testimony given by the various witnesses, and informants, disclosed in that case, after appropriate review here, consideration will be given to sending this brief to the Bureau in order that copies might be made for other offices.

It is to be noted that Mr. WILLIAMS has previously advised that he is to orally argue this case at New Orleans on May 24, 1955, and they have been advised that if they are ready in the matter concerning his Motion~~s~~ for a new trial, that he can argue, not only the original case, but the arguments on the motion for a new trial, which was denied, at the same time.

The above is for record purposes.

The brief is being filed in the 1A file of 122-8 for future reference.

WHN/wlg *wlg*
cc: 100-2263 (IUMMSW)
100-4001 (JENCKS)

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, El Paso (Urfile 100-4001) DATE: 5/23/55

FROM : Director, FBI (Bufile 100-39680)

SUBJECT: Clinton Edward Jencks

REFERENCE: Report of S.A. John F. Shields dated 5/9/55 at Phoenix
Letter dated _____ From _____ To _____
Teletype dated _____ From _____ To _____

Referenced communication is in error in connection with the subject matter checked below. You should secure explanations from the employee or employees and supervisory personnel responsible and forward to the Bureau without delay, together with your recommendations for any administrative action deemed necessary, following the procedure set forth in SAC Letter 53-29 (C). Return original of this error form to the Bureau with your letter. Any action necessary to correct this error on copies of referenced communication in your office or auxiliary offices should be taken in accordance with present Bureau instructions.

☐ 1. O.O. incorrect (OO is _____)

☐ 2. Report made at

☐ 3. Date when made

☐ 4. Period for which made

5. Title

- ☐ a. Incomplete
- ☐ b. Incorrectly changed
- ☐ c. Misspelled
- ☐ d. Incorrectly carried as fugitive
- ☐ e. Fugitive omitted
- ☐ f. I. O. number omitted

☐ 6. Character

7. Synopsis

- ☐ a. Incomplete or inadequate
- ☐ b. Facts not in details or vice versa
- ☐ c. Fails to reflect owner notified
- ☐ d. Recovery value not set out

☐ 8. Status

☐ 9. Not approved by SAC (original returned for approval & forwarding)

10. Copies

- ☐ a. Not furnished auxiliary offices listed below. Bufile corrected
- ☐ b. Not furnished U. S. Attorney
- ☐ c. Insufficient copies to Bureau
- ☐ d. Not furnished to G-2 or ONI
- ☐ e. Bufile number should be _____
 - ☐ (1) Incorrectly reported
 - ☐ (2) Files consolidated at Bureau

11. Details

- ☐ a. No description
- ☐ b. Stops not removed
- ☐ c. Subject in custody, complaint & warrant issued but immediate hearing before USC not reported
- ☐ d. Delay in receiving information from P.D. indicates lack of police liaison
- ☐ e. Motor number listed appears to be incorrect
- ☐ f. Deserter apprehension by local officers at your request not reflected in apprehension teletype

12. Enclosures

- ☐ a. Not attached
- ☐ b. Disposition sheet not submitted
- ☐ c. Probation flash not submitted

13. Administrative pages

- ☐ a. Undeveloped leads
 - ☐ (1) Not set out
 - ☐ (2) Too vague
- ☐ b. Informants not identified
- ☐ c. Reference

☐ 14. Abstract

☐ 15. Miscellaneous

☐ 16. Form FD-127 - EL PASO

☐ 17. Quoted Error

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REMARKS:

Page 3 TP 1 Line 5 "conviction in January, 1954."
"TP 2 Line 5" conviction of Clinton Jencks in January 1954."
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-39680) DATE: JUN 13 1955
(122-232)
FROM SAC, El Paso (100-4001)(122-8)

SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
IS-C
(OO - PHOENIX)
Bufile 100-39680; PX file (100-3262)

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
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(OO - EL PASO)
Bufile 122-232; EP file 122-8

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Re El Paso letter to the Bureau dated May 10, 1955,
copies of which were furnished to offices receiving instant communication.

AUSA HOLVEY WILLIAMS advised SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS on June 7,
1955 that this case was argued before the U. S. Court of Appeals, Fifth
Circuit, New Orleans, Louisiana, on May 24, 1955, by him in connection
with the Appeal from the Motion for a New Trial for JENCKS.

It was agreed that they would use the typewritten record
of this hearing on the Motion for a New Trial which, according to Mrs.
PAULINE G. SILVEUS, Deputy U. S. District Court Clerk, at El Paso, which
consists of 923 pages, including the Clerk's Certificate.

It was later decided that this Transcript of Record would be
printed at New Orleans at JENCKS' expense, which Mr. WILLIAMS estimated
would probably be around \$1200.00, in that approximately 20 copies
of this printed transcript will be made.

WIN/clr *CKW.*
AIR MAIL - REGISTERED

- 2- Denver (122-9) (INFO) (RM)
- 1- New York (100-951158) (INFO) (RM)
- 4- Phoenix (100-3262) (122-8) (RM)
- 1- El Paso 122-8

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Letter DIRECTOR

He indicated that after the filing of this printed transcript the Court gave them 20 days in which time to file a brief on the transcript (the statute is supposed to give 30 days) and the United States Attorney has 20 days in which to answer the brief, after the record is printed and filed.

Inasmuch as Mr. WILLIAMS indicated that it would be quite some time before any further action is taken concerning this matter, periodic contact will be made with Mr. WILLIAMS and the U. S. Clerk of Court's Office to determine any recent developments and the Bureau will be advised of any positive pertinent information received.

Copies of this letter are being furnished the Denver Office inasmuch as they are Origin in the IUMMSW matter of which JENCKS is an International Representative, and to the Phoenix Office, the Office of Origin in the IS-C case concerning JENCKS. This case will be continued in a P* Status awaiting further court action or other developments.

OFFICE MEMORANDUMUNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-39680)
(122-232)
FROM: SAC, El Paso (122-8) (100-4001)
SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
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(OO - Phoenix)
Bufile 100-39680; PX file (100-3262)

DATE: AUG 12 1955

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LMRA, 1947 (SM)
(OO - El Paso)
Bufile 122-232; EP file 122-8

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Re Seattle letter to El Paso dated July 28, 1955 and New York letter to El Paso dated July 29, 1955.

For the information of the Phoenix Office, which is Office of Origin in the IS-C case against CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, the Seattle Office advised by letter dated July 28, 1955 that on March 21, 1955 Confidential Informant [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that CLINTON JENCKS and wife arrived at Seattle by plane on March 19, 1955 and on the evening of that date were guests of honor at a reception sponsored by one TOM WARNER and others active in the North End Chapter of the Civil Rights Congress at Seattle. The reception was held at TOM WARNER's residence, 8923 2nd. Avenue N.E., Seattle. CLINTON JENCKS and his wife were overnight guests at the WARNER home. During the course of the evening of March 19, 1955, CLINTON JENCKS was asked to address those present. He spoke regarding HARVEY MATUSOW, saying it was his word against MATUSOW's during the course of the trial wherein MATUSOW appeared as a prosecutive witness against JENCKS. JENCKS also related MATUSOW should not be contacted upon his release from prison; it being preferable to "let MATUSOW kill MATUSOW and all other informers;" "we" should see that everyone reads MATUSOW's book "False Witness"; and he, JENCKS, fears for MATUSOW's life upon the latter's release from prison, because MATUSOW has made so many enemies "on both sides."

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2 cc Bureau 100-375988 (MATUSOW) (RM)
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(122-302) (JENCKS) (LMRA) (RM)
(100-124587) (JENCKS IS-C) (RM)
(100-94014) (MATUSOW) (RM)
2- Denver (122-9) (JENCKS) (RM)
(100-1934) (IUMMSW) (RM)
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(1cc 122-8) (RM)
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1 cc: El Paso (100-2263) (IUMMSW)
1 cc: El Paso (74-62) (MATUSOW)

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Letter, Director

[redacted] was not aware of the reason for JENCKS' visit to Seattle, but it is presumed JENCKS was at Seattle in connection with the 1955 National Convention of IUMMSW. Further details regarding JENCKS' participation in the proceedings of the 1955 IUMMSW convention held at Spokane, Washington beginning March 15, 1955, will be furnished El Paso in report form.

It is not noted whether the information furnished to Agent ROBERT H. WICK was written or oral. This data is filed in [redacted]

The New York Office by letter to El Paso dated July 29, 1955, advised that on February 22, 1955, a hearing in connection with the HARVEY MATUSOW case was held before the Subcommittee to investigate the administration of the Internal Security Act and other Internal Security laws of the committee on the Judiciary at Washington, D.C.

During the course of above hearing, MATUSOW testified that while visiting at the San Cristobal Valley Ranch, Taos, New Mexico, in 1950, subject was present at the ranch.

A transcript of the testimony in which subject's name was mentioned is maintained in NY 100-94014-1B188, pages 378-380, Vol. II. For information.

Concerning the status of the appeal which was previously filed by JENCKS, AUSA WILLIAM MONROE KERR, El Paso, Texas, on August 5, 1955 advised that the briefs of the Government's arguments which took place previously were supposed to be in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans on Monday, August 8, 1955, but an extension of time was granted to them to have these briefs printed in El Paso and filed with the clerk at New Orleans on September 1, 1955. Mr. KERR did not know of any further immediate action being taken in this matter at this time.

The above is being submitted for the information of the Bureau and offices receiving copies of this communication.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM . UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-39580)
SAC,

DATE: OCT 7 1955

FROM : SA, DENVER (100-4603)

SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JACKS
SH - C
OO PHOENIX

Re memorandum of SA ELMER A. SAMSON dated January 20, 1955, and report of SA LLOYD R. HASINIAN dated March 20, 1955, at Denver.

Referenced communication indicated that the identity of the BIRENBAUMS should be protected by the use of a "T" symbol. Their identity can now be disclosed, and the following is being furnished for information.

Concluding interviews with HERMAN BIRENBAUM and LOUISE WHITLOCK BIRENBAUM were held at the Denver office on 7-7-55. Both advised they have no reason to request that their identities remain confidential as to information which they have furnished this office. No further consideration is being given to the BIRENBAUMS as possible informants inasmuch as both have expressed a desire to divorce themselves from all CP activities, and their deactivated status has been brought to the attention of CP leaders in Denver.

The BIRENBAUMS, on 7-7-55, advised SA'S ELMER A. SAMSON and J. HALE McMENAMIN that they did not at that time desire to appear as witnesses in any case involving the Smith Act. As to appearing before a Security Hearing Board, both said they would be willing to be contacted, and dependent upon the circumstances at the time of such contact, would give consideration to appearing before a Security Hearing Board.

By letter dated 9-12-55, the St. Louis Division advised the BIRENBAUMS are residing at 1332 Semple Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, which is the residence of Dr. BEN BIRENBAUM. This address is known to be temporary, as HERMAN BIRENBAUM has applied for a teaching position with the

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2 cc: Phoenix (100-3262) (RM)

1 cc Verifax 10/18/55 for file 122-8
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University City Public Schools, University City, Missouri.

Any future requests for interview with the BIRENBAUMS as to information previously furnished should be directed to the St. Louis Division.

The following documentation may be used for the BIRENBAUMS:

HERMAN BIRENBAUM, on 10-11-54, furnished a signed statement in which he identified himself as a member of the CP at Boulder, Colorado from April, 1946 to May, 1949; and at Denver, Colorado from September, 1949 to the spring of 1954. HERMAN BIRENBAUM, at that time, was residing at 2250 East 44th Avenue, Denver. (The above signed statement was furnished to SA'S ELMER A. SAMSON and J. HALE McMENAMIN, and is located in DN 100-4655-1A5.)

LOUISE WHITLOCK BIRENBAUM, on 10-11-54, furnished a signed statement in which she identified herself as a member of the CP at Boulder, Colorado from April, 1946 to May, 1949; and at Denver, Colorado from September, 1949 to the spring of 1954. LOUISE BIRENBAUM, at that time, was residing at 2250 East 44th Avenue, Denver. (The above signed statement was furnished to SA'S ELMER A. SAMSON and J. HALE McMENAMIN, and is located in DN 100-5453-1A13.)

Offices receiving copies of this letter should advise any interested agencies within their Divisions to which information provided by HERMAN and LOUISE BIRENBAUM has been furnished under a confidential designation.

SAC, EL PASO

6/1/56

SA, WILLIAM H. NIMMINS

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LMRA, 1947
(SM-C)

This is to advise that the Phoenix Office in El Paso File 100-2678, captioned CPUSA District 13, Phoenix Division requested a photograph of subject JENCKS for inclusion in the Key Figure File.

BALTAZAR ALVAREZ, Librarian, El Paso Times Newspaper, El Paso, Texas, on 5/29/56 furnished a photograph from the newspaper files taken in January, 1955. A copy of this photograph was furnished to the Phoenix Office on 5/31/56 and the original returned to Mr. ALVAREZ.

Two copies and a negative of this photograph are being retained in El Paso File 122-8-1A for future reference.

- 1 - El Paso (122-8)
- ① - 100-4001 (E. JENCKS)
- 1 - 100-2678 (CPUSA, Dist. 13)

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To: DIRECTOR, FBI
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CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
IS - CVIRGINIA DERR HALLEY JENCKS
SM - C

On 5/29/56 [] advised by written report dated 5/26/56 and furnished to SA H. HILTON MCKEE that the captioned subjects (man and wife) were preparing to depart Tucson, Arizona, for San Francisco, Calif. where CLINTON JENCKS had allegedly obtained employment of a nature and at a location unknown to the informant.

On 5/29/56 Mrs. ANN EVANS (protect by T-symbol) Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Co., Tucson, Ariz. advised SA JOSEPH E. GAUZENS, JR., that a disconnect order was received to discontinue the subject's telephone at his residence, 2962 E. 23rd St., Tucson, on 5/28/56. Included with this disconnect order was a request to forward all bills to c/o RAEDLER, 618 $\frac{1}{2}$ Sanchez, San Francisco, Calif.

On May 31, 1956, HERMAN PUGH (protect by T symbol) Detail Clerk, U.S. Postal Inspector's Office, Tucson, Ariz. advised SA GAUZENS that a removal order on all mail for

- 4 - Bureau (100-39680) REGIS. AM
- 4 - San Francisco REGIS. AM
- 2 - El Paso REGIS. AM
- 2 - Denver REGIS. AM
- 2 - Phoenix (100-4809-VIRGINIA JENCKS)
(100-3262-CLINTON E. JENCKS)

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(1-cc in 100-4552)

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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PX 100-3262, 100-4809

To: Bureau, etc. 6/1/56
Re: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, IS-C;
VIRGINIA DERR HALLEY JENCKS, SM-C

CLINTON E. JENCKS, VIRGINIA and LINDA JENCKS was placed 5/28/56 changing the subjects' address from 2962 E. 23rd St., Tucson, Ariz., to 618 $\frac{1}{2}$ Sanchez St., San Francisco, Calif.

San Francisco is requested to verify residence of subjects at 618 $\frac{1}{2}$ Sanchez St., San Francisco, and to advise Phoenix in order that FD 128 may be submitted.

Copies of airtel being furnished Denver and El Paso for information.

July 3, 1956

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AIRMAIL

From SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-34601)

To: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-39680)

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
IS - C

VIRGINIA DERR HALLEY JENCKS
SM - C

[REDACTED] (Documentation unnecessary)
made known on June 21, 1956, that CLINTON JENCKS intended
to make his residence at 847 Solano Avenue, Albany, Calif-
ornia, on about July 1, 1956.

On July 2, 1956, SA ROY L. ERICKSON observed a
1954 blue-gray Plymouth Stationwagon, Arizona License Number
C55479 arrive at 847 Solano Avenue, Albany, together with
a Mayflower Furniture Van. In addition to a man and woman,
there was a girl approximately fifteen years and a boy
approximately twelve years, presumably the JENCK's family.

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- 4 - Bureau (100-39680) (REG.) (AM)
- 2 - Phoenix (100-4809) (REG.) (AM)
- (100-3262) (REG.) (AM)
- 2 - Denver (Information) (REG.) (AM)
- ② - El Paso (Information) (REG.) (AM)
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REPORTING OFFICE PHOENIX	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SAN FRANCISCO	DATE 8-13-56	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 7-23, 28, 27, 30; 8-1, 3, 7, 8, 9-56
TITLE OF CASE CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, WA.		REPORT MADE BY JOSEPH E. GAUZENS, JR.	TYPED BY WME
		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - C	

SYNOPSIS:

JENCKS currently resides 847 Solano Avenue, Albany, California; no longer employed by IUMMSW, Tucson, Arizona. Indicated to have contributed funds in amount of \$30 to CP and CP causes. Reportedly in contact with head of CP in State of Arizona and with other CP figures in Tucson. Employment as International Representative, IUMMSW, District No. 2, ceased effective 6-1-56. Indicated to have attended meeting of unknown character at residence of alleged CP members. Was present at party in honor of himself, attended by CP members, and reportedly planned presence at picnic organized by CP members and friends.

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ON *2/27/95*

DETAILS: Except where otherwise noted, all informants mentioned in this report have furnished reliable information in the past.

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COPIES MADE: 4 - Bureau (100-39680) <u>RM</u> ② - El Paso (100-4001) (122-8) INFO <u>RM</u> 1 - Denver (100-4603) INFO <u>RM</u> 3 - San Francisco (100-34601) <u>RM</u> 2 - Phoenix (100-3262)		100-4001-18 SEARCHED <u>SM</u> INDEXED <u>SM</u> SERIALIZED <u>SM</u> FILED <u>SM</u> AUG 16 1956 FBI - EL PASO <i>[Signature]</i>

I. BACKGROUND

A. Residence

As of May 1, 1956, JENCKS continued to reside with his family at 2962 East 23rd Street, Tucson, Arizona.

T-1
(May 1, 1956)

On May 28, 1956, information was received indicating that JENCKS planned to move to San Francisco, California.

T-2
(May 29, 1956)

It was learned on May 28, 1956, that CLINTON JENCKS and his wife, VIRGINIA, were going to San Francisco, California, about May 31, 1956, because the subject had found employment, nature unknown, at the latter city.

T-3
(May 28, 1956)

On June 21, 1956, it was made known that CLINTON JENCKS intended to make his residence at 847 Solano Avenue, Albany, California, on or about July 1, 1956.

T-4
(June 21, 1956)

A 1954 blue-gray Plymouth Station Wagon, bearing Arizona license number C 5 5 4 7 9, arrived at 847 Solano Avenue, Albany, California, together with a Mayflower Furniture Van. In addition to a man and woman, there was a girl approximately 15 years and a boy approximately 12 years, presumably the JENCKS' family.

SA ROY L. ERICKSON
(through observation)
(July 2, 1956)

1956 Arizona License C 5 5 4 7 9 was issued to a 1954 Plymouth Station Wagon registered to CLINTON and VIRGINIA JENCKS, 2962 East 23rd Street, Tucson, Arizona.

MRS. MARIE BURNS,
Pima County Assessors Office
Tucson, Arizona
(August 8, 1956)

B. Employment

On January 19, 1956, information was received that JENCKS Had submitted his resignation from the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (IUMMSW).

On January 18, 1956, it was indicated that the IUMMSW was thinking in terms of accepting JENCKS resignation. It was also indicated that the subject contemplated seeking employment in Berkeley, California.

T-5

(January 19, 1956)

(January 18, 1956)

IUMMSW

The February 5, 1950, issue of the "CHICAGO DAILY NEWS" newspaper announced that a special committee of the CIO found that the IUMMSW had been under the direct control of the COMMUNIST PARTY (CP) and recommended that it be expelled from the CIO.

The February 15, 1950, issue of the "CHICAGO HERALD AMERICAN" newspaper announced that the CIO executive board approved the findings of the Special Trial Committee that the IUMMSW policies were dictated by the CP.

The CP is an organization designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

As of January 23, 1956, JENCKS was employed as International Representative, IUMMSW, District 2, Tucson, Arizona.

T-6

(January 23, 1956)

On May 1, 1956, a rumor was current that JENCKS Was endeavoring to establish himself in some kind of business enterprise in Tucson, Arizona, the nature of which is unknown. The CP, or at least some of its affiliates, were reportedly giving JENCKS "tacit" assistance in his efforts.

T-1

(May 1, 1956)

On May 28, 1956, it was reported that the subject had found employment, nature unknown, in San Francisco, California.

T-3

(May 28, 1956)

II. AFFILIATION WITH THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT

A. Affiliation With The CP

Phoenix Confidential Informants, contacted on July 27 and 30, and on August 1, 1956, advised that they had no information reflecting current membership on the part of JENCKS in the CP. These informants are familiar with general Communist activity in the Tucson, Arizona, area.

III. OTHER ACTIVITIES INDICATING FURTHERANCE OF THE CP PROGRAM

A. Indicated Contribution of Funds to the CP, or Related Organizations

1. At a party given in JENCKS' honor on March 24, 1956, a collection was called for by RICHARD NUSSER who indicated that included among the causes to which the money obtained would be given were: Smith Act prisoners, their wives and children; the Denver Seven and the Civil Rights Congress (CRC). CLINTON JENCKS gave the first \$10.00 of the approximately \$130.00 thereafter collected at this affair.

T-3

(March 26, 1956)

RICHARD NUSSER

An article in the "KITTY KAT", a student publication at the University of Arizona, Tucson, Volume 22, No. 3, dated December, 1948, entitled, "Why I Am A Communist", under the by-line, "By RICHARD NUSSER", contained a headnote, "A resume of the political philosophy of an American Communist by the chairman of the Communist Party in Tucson". The following statements are taken from this article:

"I was not born a Communist, I did not become one by accident. No one forced me to join the Communist Party.

I am a Communist because living in America 26 years has made me one... I saw the Communist as the most patriotic, most loyal and most principled people. Therefore, I eagerly joined their ranks when I reached the age of 18. I have been proud to call myself a Communist in the past. Now that pride is even greater because to be a Communist in 1948 is to wear a badge of honor. It not only identifies you as being a part of the future but also as today's most courageous fighter for the people".

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As of June 6, 1956, RICHARD NUSSER was described as generally recognized by other affiliates of the CP at Tucson as head of the CP in the State of Arizona.

T-3
(June 6, 1956)

DENVER SEVEN

On August 9, 1954, 7 individuals were indicated by the Federal Grand Jury, Denver, Colorado, for conspiracy to violate the Smith Act of 1940. The case went to trial before Federal Judge JEAN S. BREITENSTEIN and a jury on March 21, 1955. Guilty verdicts were rendered against all 7 defendants on May 25, 1955.

CRC

The CRC is an organization designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

2. On the evening of May 28, 1956, CLINTON JENCKS informed RICHARD NUSSER that he was busy packing. At this time JENCKS gave NUSSER \$20.00 and told him to give this money to ISADORE GITMAN "for the Party". GITMAN commented that JENCKS gave this money in spite of the fact that he could not afford to do so, adding that JENCKS would give his last for the "Party".

T-3
(May 30, 1956)

ISADORE GITMAN

In November, 1952, ISADORE GITMAN was described as one of the top CP workers in the Tucson, Arizona, area.

T-7
(November, 1952)

B. Contacts with other CP Members

1. On January 17, 1956, ISADORE and JENNIE GITMAN indicated they were expecting a visit from people whose identities they did not disclose. JENNIE GITMAN stated that except for the persons in question the GITMANS did not want anyone else at their residence. It was determined that at least one of the persons who contacted the GITMANS subsequently on January 17, 1956, was CLINTON JENCKS of the IUMSW.

T-3
(January 18, 1956).

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JENNIE GITMAN

A CP transfer card, Number 5 5 8 0, dated August 12, 1946, transferred JENNIE GITMAN from the 28th West Club of Sect. 7, District 3, CP, USA, to Tucson, Arizona.

T-8
(August 28, 1946)

2. On March 24, 1956, JENCKS was present at a party given in his honor at which the following were among the approximately 40 persons present:

ISADORE GITMAN	HYMAN EPSTEIN
JENNIE GITMAN	BERTHA EPSTEIN
RICHARD NUSSER	ABE KASTEL

T-9
(March 27, 1956)

HYMAN and BERTHA EPSTEIN

HYMAN and BERTHA EPSTEIN were identified as CP members in February, 1949.

T-10
(February 4, 1949)

ABE KASTEL

ABE KASTEL is one of the leaders of the Tucson CP.

T-7
(June 8, 1954)

3. On the evening of May 28, 1956, JENCKS was in contact with RICHARD NUSSER and gave NUSSER "20.00 which was to be furnished to ISADORE GITMAN "for the party".

T-3
(May 30, 1956)

IV. MISCELLANEOUS

A. IUMMSW

1. General

During the week of January 16, 1956, exact date unrecalled, CLINTON JENCKS stated he would "leave the IUMMSW within 30 days". JENCKS did not indicate his plans upon leaving the IUMMSW and did not discuss details relative to his severing connections with this union.

At about the same time, JENCKS' attention was called to the fact that the sale of tickets for a raffle being given to raise money for the IUMMSW defense fund was meeting with resistance among the rank and file union members of Local 926, IUMMSW, in part because of JENCKS conviction on charges of CP affiliation. JENCKS reportedly replied that the union members charged with the sale of the raffle tickets should "do the best they can" under the circumstances.

T-6

(January 23, 1956)

On January 19, 1956, information was received that JENCKS had submitted the following blank resignation from the IUMMSW:

"This is my resignation from the staff of the International Union, to become effective at the discretion of the International Executive Board. It is submitted because the Executive Board is convinced that this action will aid in protecting and advancing the welfare of the rank and file members of our Union. It is offered only after consideration and discussion with the Executive Board.

"I have always wanted, and want now, to help build unity among all people in our industry, in our country, and with our brothers and sisters in every country who share our desire for dignity and a better life for our children.

"I hope this action will helps us to do that...together."

On January 18, 1956, the following memorandum, prepared by an unknown individual employed by IUMMSW, was made available:

"Jencks

"The resignation he submitted, to be effective at the discretion of the Executive Board; that he be authorized to go to Berkely for a week or so to look around the housing & job situation, the he receive 6 weeks severance pay, that he be granted the full vacation pay to which he may now be entitled, that he be assured of normal expenses and transportation for moving the family from Tucson, that if that court grants the writ of certiarari that his defense will be continued by the Union, that if anything can be done to help Mrs. Jencks secure a job, that this be done.

"Explanation:

"The board agrees that Brother Jencks understands that this will be made effective by the Board when the Supreme Court acts on the petition for cert. If denied, it takes care of itself--20 days. If granted, the Board will decide on a reasonable length of time thereafter."

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(January 19, 1956)

(January 18, 1956)

CLINTON JENCKS, as of March 1, 1956, had been replaced as International Representative, IUMMSW, for Local 926 of this union at Dragoon, Arizona.

T-6

(March 1, 1956)

The 1956 annual convention of the IUMMSW began at Salt Lake City, Utah, on March 19, 1956, with approximately 300 delegates in attendance.

It was understood that JOE B. CHAVEZ, Executive Board Member, and ORVILLE LARSON, International Vice President, IUMMSW, were the most outspoken individuals in attendance at this convention against the retention of JENCKS. The opinion was expressed that these men were responsible for JENCKS ultimate dismissal.

T-11

(March 29, 1956)

No characterizations are available for JOE B. CHAVEZ and ORVILLE LARSON.

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As of May 1, 1956, CLINTON E. JENCKS, controversial IUMMSW official who is being "retired" from the union effective June 1, 1956, had not been seen in IUMMSW Halls at either Tucson or Oracle, Arizona, in recent weeks.

T-1
(May 1, 1956)

2. Funds

The following sums of money were indicated received by CLINTON JENCKS from the IUMMSW on the dates shown below:

<u>Date Money Dispensed to Subject</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Identiry of Source</u>	<u>Date Information Received</u>
12-13-55	\$1.21	T-12	12-29-55
12-23-55	3.82	T-13	1-31-56
3-16-56	6.80	T-13	4-30-56

The foregoing information should not be made public except in a regular proceeding after the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

B. MISCELLANEOUS

1. Indicated Attendance at Meeting
in Residence of CP Members

On January 17, 1956, ISADORE and JENNIE GITMAN indicated they were expecting a visit by people whose identities they did not disclose. JENNIE GITMAN said that except for the persons in question the GITMANS wanted no one else present at their residence. It was ascertained that at least one of the persons who contacted the GITMANS subsequently on January 17, 1956, was CLINTON JENCKS of the IUMMSW.

T-3
(January 18, 1956)

2. Party Honoring CLINTON JENCKS

On March 24, 1956, a party was held at the residence of ROSE and MEYER MASLOW, 4850 Paseo Luisa, Tucson, Arizona, in honor of CLINTON JENCKS. Approximately 40 people were present, including the following:

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JENNIE GITMAN	ABE KASTEL
ISADORE GITMAN	ROSE MASLOW
RICHARD NUSSE	MEYER MASLOW
HYMAN EPSTEIN	CLINTON JENCKS
BERTHA EPSTEIN	VIRGINIA JENCKS (wife)

CLINTON and VIRGINIA JENCKS made their appearance at this affair about 10:00 P. M., and VIRGINIA JENCKS was immediately given a corsage by ROSE MASLOW. An ovation and congratulations were extended to CLINTON JENCKS because of the fact that the U. S. Supreme Court had consented to review his appeal.

During the course of the evening RICHARD NUSSE made a speech in which he praised CLINTON JENCKS for his activities. NUSSE reviewed the facts of CLINTON JENCKS' case and explained how the recanting by (HARVEY) MATUSOW had forced re-opening the case. NUSSE said he had been told by CLINTON JENCKS that the IUMSW would pay all the cost of JENCKS' appeal and, accordingly, the collection for the evening would be on behalf of other causes. NUSSE asked for donations and the money collected was turned over to ISADORE GITMAN. GITMAN announced at the meeting that about \$136.00 was collected.

T-9
(March 27, 1956)

ROSE and MEYER MASLOW

ROSE and MEYER MASLOW have been described as wealthy Tucson residents who support financially and morally CP drives and projects, and lend the use of their luxurious home and swimming pool to the Tucson CP for their money-raising parties.

T-3
(May 2, 1956)

HARVEY MATUSOW

MATUSOW was a witness on behalf of the Government at the trial of CLINTON E. JENCKS before the U. S. District Court at El Paso, Texas, which resulted in conviction of JENCKS for falsely signing a non-Communist affidavit. MATUSOW subsequently recanted his testimony given at this trial.

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3. Picnic Organized by
ISADORE and JENNIE GITMAN

On February 11, 1956, ISADORE and JENNIE GITMAN and certain friends held a picnic. SAM LIPTZEN, who attended this affair, was heard to tell ISADORE GITMAN before hand that CLINTON JENCKS would attend the picnic. It was not determined whether JENCKS actually was present.

T-9
(February 28, 1956)

SAM LIPTZEN

The "DAILY WORKER" of March 6, 1947, page 12, columns 1 and 2, in an article entitled, "Communist Challenges Un-American Committee", identifies SAMUEL LIPTZEN as a Communist since 1920.

The "DAILY WORKER" is an East Coast daily Communist newspaper.

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ADMINISTRATIVE PAGEMiscellaneous

This case has been re-evaluated in light of the Security Index criteria and the case still fits those criteria.

The Subject's Security Index card has been reviewed and the information appearing thereon concerning his residence and employment is in accord with the corresponding data included in the body of this report.

Inasmuch as subject's residence has been established at Albany, California, FD-128 has been submitted transferring 00 to the San Francisco Division.

Informants

Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed in the details of this report and T=symbols were utilized only in those instances where protection of the informant's identity was deemed essential.

The Phoenix Confidential Informants identified in this report as having been contacted in connection with the subject's CP affiliation are identified as follows:

[REDACTED] contacted 7-27-56 by SA JOSEPH E. GAUZENS, JR.
[REDACTED] contacted 7-30-56 by SA JOHN F. SHEIK
[REDACTED] contacted 8-1-56 by SA JOHN F. SHEIK

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WARREN GRAYDON	Employment			
HORIE, 420	5-1-56;			100-3262-150
W. Veteran's	IUMMSW General			
Blvd., Tucson, Arizona.	5-1-56			100-3262-150
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T-2:	Indication of	5-29-56	SA JOSEPH E. GAUZENS, JR.	Instant Report
MRS. ANN EVANS,	subject's			
Mountain States	departure for			
T&T Co., Tucson,	California			
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Residence and employment 5-28-56;
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Used for Documentation of RICHARD NUSSER;
Contribution of Funds 5-28-56; 5-28-56
Contacts with Members 1-17-56 1-17-56
and 5-28-56; 5-28-56
Indicated attendance at Meetings in residence of CP members 1-17-56; 1-17-56
Used for Documentation of: ROSE and MEYER MASLOW.

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Residence

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Employment 1-19-56 1-19-56
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Employment 1-23-56 1-23-56

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T-7: [REDACTED]	Used for Documentation of: ISADORE GITMAN and ALE KASTEL			
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T-8: [REDACTED]	Used for Documentation of: JENNIE GITMAN			
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T-9: [REDACTED]	Contacts with CP Members: 3-25-56	3-24-56		
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	Party Honoring Subject 3-24-56	3-24-56		
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T-10: [REDACTED]	Used for Documentation of: BERTHA & HYMAN EPSTEIN.			
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T-11: [REDACTED]	IUMMSW General			
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T-12: Mr. P. S. RISHEL, South Side Branch Valley Nat'l Bk, Tucson, Arizona	Funds			
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T-13: MR. R. J. SACHA, South Side Branch, Valley Nat'l Bank, Tucson, Ariz.	Funds - 12-23-55 3-16-56			
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Leads :

EL PASO and DENVER

Information copies of this report are being furnished to El Paso, which is OO in the LMRA case involving JENCKS, and to Denver, as OO in the COMINFIL, IUMMSW, investigation.

Reference:

Report of SA JOSEPH E. GAUZENS, JR., Dated 12-20-55, at Phoenix.

SF Airtel to Director, dated 7-3-56.

Phoenix letter (FD 128) to Bureau dated 8-13-56.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-39680)

10/2/56

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-34601)

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, wa.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Re Phoenix letter 8/13/56 making San Francisco office of origin in this case.

Neighborhood investigation of the Subject reflects that he continues to reside at 847 Solano Avenue, Albany, California and that he is not working but continues on retirement. A report was submitted by Phoenix bringing the case up to date 8/13/56. No further investigation in San Francisco is necessary.

El Paso letter to Phoenix dated 5/13/56, entitled "CP, USA DISTRICT 13, PHOENIX DIVISION (KEY FIGURES), IS - C" indicates a recent photograph of the Subject was then forwarded to Phoenix. Information in the San Francisco file does not reflect whether this photograph was submitted to the Bureau or Phoenix. Phoenix is requested to advise San Francisco whether it has been sent to the Bureau or to San Francisco.

Phoenix letter 8/13/56 making San Francisco office of origin indicates that no handwriting specimens of the Subject have ever been secured for the Bureau's Key Figure Files. Phoenix is requested to determine whether handwriting specimens have been submitted to the Bureau and if not request the El Paso Office to secure specimens of the Subject's handwriting from the Clerk of Court for the U. S. District Court in El Paso where the Subject was convicted of falsely signing the Taft-Hartley non-communist affidavit on 1/21/54.

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- 1 - Phoenix (100-3262)(REG.)
- 1 - El Paso (100-4001)(REG.)
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Jencks Case In High Court

El Paso Assistant U. S. Attorney Holvy Williams said today Clinton E. Jencks' attorney is presenting "nothing new" to the U. S. Supreme Court in his attempt to get Jencks a new trial.

"Jencks' attorney is presenting to the Supreme Court the same arguments he used in El Paso where he was found guilty of filing a false non-Communist oath under the Taft-Hartley Labor law and which he again used in his appeal to the 5th U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals at New Orleans, where Judge R. E. Thomason's sentence was upheld," Mr. Williams said.

Arguments yesterday in the Supreme Court were about turnabout witness Harvey Matusow, who testified against Jencks, but swore later that he had lied.

Jencks, an official of the International Union of Mine, Mill and

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Smelter Workers at Silver City, was convicted in Federal Court in El Paso.

Attorney John T. McTernan of Los Angeles, argued that Jencks was entitled to a new trial on various grounds. One of his principal contentions was Judge R. E. Thomason should have required the Government to make available to the defense Matusow's contemporary reports to the FBI concerning matters in Matusow's direct testimony. Judge Thomason ruled against a new trial.

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High Court Hears Jencks Argument

Washington. (AP)—The Supreme Court heard arguments Wednesday on whether Clinton E. Jencks, convicted of filing a false non-Communist oath under the Taft-Hartley labor law, should have a new trial.

The arguments revolved around the role of turnabout Witness Harvey Matusow in the case.

Matusow testified as a government witness against Jencks, but swore later that he had borne false witness. Matusow has since been sentenced for perjury in another case.

Jencks, an official of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, was convicted in federal court in El Paso in 1956.

Attorney John T. McTeran of Los Angeles, argued that Jencks was entitled to a new trial on various legal grounds.

One of his principal contentions was that U. S. Dist. Judge R. E. Thomason should have required the government to make available to the defense Matusow's contemporary reports to the FBI concerning matters covered in Matusow's direct testimony.

Judge Thomason granted Jencks a hearing on a motion for a new trial after Matusow recanted, but ruled against a new trial. The judge found Matusow had testified truthfully at the trial but lied when he said he had testified falsely. Jencks was sentenced to five years in prison.

John V. Lindsay, a Justice Department attorney, told the Supreme Court Judge Thomason acted within his discretion in refusing to make FBI reports available to the defense.

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SA, WILLIAM H. NIMMINS

CLINTON EDWARD JANCKS
LMRA, 47 (SM)

Contact with AUSA HOLVEY WILLIAMS at El Paso, Texas, has been maintained concerning this matter and when recent newspaper publication appeared indicating that the Supreme Court had heard the argument of the attorneys in this matter, MR. WILLIAMS commented that he had no new information and that he thought that this action had already been taken.

MR. WILLIAMS does not know when this matter will be passed upon as the entire case now has to be reviewed by the Supreme Court before it will be handed down to the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals at New Orleans. He stated that this may be as long as six months.

This matter will be followed periodically with him.

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SAC, PHOENIX (100-3262)

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, wa.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Re San Francisco letter to the Bureau dated 10/2/56.

The photograph of CLINTON JENCKS furnished to Phoenix by the El Paso Division on 5/13/56 has been furnished to the Bureau. For the assistance of San Francisco in any investigation in the future, there are transmitted herein the negative and one copy of the same photograph which was taken in January, 1955.

According to the FD 128 dated 2/10/55 submitted by the El Paso Division to the Bureau, when the Phoenix Office was designated office of origin, handwriting specimens for CLINTON JENCKS had been furnished to the Bureau.

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SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS

CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY DEFENSE
COMMITTEE
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

A thumb nail sketch of the above-captioned organization is contained in El Paso File 100-5227-57.

Information made available in the memorandum of SA FRANK S. PERRONE at San Francisco, California, dated October 25, 1956, captioned "REPORTS OF [REDACTED] (Lot No. 1, Photos CE 1 - CE 417)" was furnished to the El Paso Office and received December 17, 1956, containing Photostats of photographs of material relating to the CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY DEFENSE COMMITTEE.

It was noted on Page CE 29 that in a special meeting before a Labor Panel at the Alexandria Hotel in Los Angeles, California, on or about February 19, 1955, JOHN Mc TERNAN, Attorney, allegedly remarked at length concerning the CLINTON JENKS Trial and said that some of the evidence of guilt used by the prosecution was things like--He belonged to A.M.N.A. (who fought for equality); he opposed the Korean War and that he signed the Stockholm Peace Petition etc. The Photostats of photographs relating to this matter are being retained in the El Paso File 100-5553-1 for further references, if necessary.

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TO : SAC, EL PASO

DATE: 3/11/57

FROM : SAC, DENVER (100-4603)

SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS

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*Chines b. 1.5.57**Ree PAUL JARRICO
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On 1/9/57 [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, made available to SA L. RUSSELL HASHMAN information that on 1/3/57 a letter was addressed to PAUL JARRICO, 320 South Sherbourne Drive, Los Angeles, California, indicating that PAUL JARRICO had written a letter to JUAN CHACON in which JARRICO had offered to contribute the full cost of the mailing of the appeal in the JENCKS case. The letter addressed to PAUL JARRICO was not signed and the same has been destroyed.

[redacted] 4th floor of the Tabor Building, 16th and Curtis Streets, Denver, Colorado. The IUMMSW occupies a suite of offices on the 4th floor of this building. The identity of this confidential source of information must be covered by a "T" symbol so that the existence of this source will not become known to any outside agency.

The above information is furnished for the information of the offices receiving copies of this letter.

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Re Denver letter to El Paso dated 3/11/57 of which a copy is being furnished herewith to the San Francisco Office for information and any action deemed necessary. A review of the files of the El Paso Office reflects that the individual mentioned as PAUL JARRICO may possibly be identical with PAUL JERRICO mentioned on Page 13 of the report of SA ROBERT E. THAU at San Francisco dated 2/19/52 in the Harbary case, San Francisco File 100-34572, Denver 100-4009, of which a copy was furnished the Los Angeles Office. This report reflects that 320 South Sherbourne Drive, Los Angeles, to be the possible address of SILVIA, PAUL and BILLY JERRICO.

For the information of the Bureau and Washington Field, Denver letter to El Paso dated 3/11/57 made reference to information furnished by [redacted] who on 1/9/57 made available to SA L. RUSSELL HASHMAN information that on 1/3/57 a letter was addressed to PAUL JARRICO, 320 South Sherbourne Drive, Los Angeles, California, indicating that JARRICO had written a letter to JUAN CHACON in which JARRICO had offered to contribute the full cost of the mailing of the appeal in the JENCKS case. The letter addressed to PAUL JARRICO was not signed and has been destroyed.

For the information of the San Francisco, Los Angeles and Denver Offices, a communication from the Washington Field Office to the Bureau dated 3/14/57 disclosed that the records of the Clerk's Office, U. S. Supreme Court, Washington D.C., as furnished by Mrs. PIKE on 3/14/57, reflect that #23 JENCKS vs. U. S., was argued on 10/17/56 and as of 3/14/57 the decision in this matter has not been handed down. The

- 4 - Bureau (REG.)
- 1 - San Francisco (100-34601)(REG.)(Encl.)
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Supreme Court is now adjourned until 3/25/57, however Washington Field Office will follow and advise. The attention of the Washington Field Office is directed to the fact that the San Francisco Office is the office of origin in the IS-C case concerning JEBBS.

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4/26/57

SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS

ANNA CATHERINE HOLMAN, aka:
Catherine Holman "Tex"
CLERK - STENOGRAPHER
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, & WELFARE
BETHESBA, MARYLAND
SECURITY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

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For record purposes in the above-captioned matter, the Boston Office desired that the El Paso Office furnish Boston with a suitable documentation of CLINTON and VIRGINIA JENCKS.

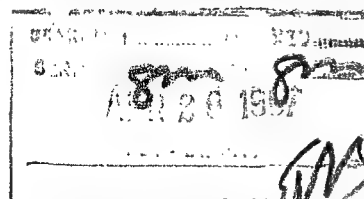
Boston airtel to New York dated 4/19/57 in the above-captioned matter indicated that in Boston letter to the Bureau with copies to New York and El Paso dated 3/9/55 in the HARVEY MATUSOW case it was indicated that a telegram signed "CLINT" was sent to VIRGINIA JENCKS, c/o KATHERINE HOLMAN, 51 Bartlett Avenue, Pittsfield, Massachusetts and further that no information was developed by Boston regarding the association between the employee and VIRGINIA JENCKS. It was indicated that the Houston Division was requested to develop background information concerning employee and to determine the relationship, if possible, between the employee and the JENCKS.

On 4/23/57 a radiogram was directed to the Bureau, Boston, and San Francisco Offices in the above-captioned matter, requesting the San Francisco Office to furnish the documentation of CLINTON and VIRGINIA JENCKS to the Boston Office inasmuch as that office is the office of origin concerning those individuals. The Boston Office, however, was furnished with details concerning the conviction of CLINTON JENCKS in the LMRA matter in 1954 at El Paso, Texas, and it was pointed out that this matter is pending in the U.S. Supreme Court at the present time. The purpose of the information set forth above is in order that the respective files of JENCKS and of MATUSOW will reflect this inquiry.

- 1 - EP 140-159
- 1 - EP 100-4001 (C. JENCKS)
- 1 - EP 122-8 (C. JENCKS)
- 1 - EP 74-62 (MATUSOW)

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DIRECTOR, FBI & SAC, SAN FRANCISCO + NYC

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SAC, EL PASO (122-8)

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, LMRA 1947 (SM), OO: EP. CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, IS-C, OO: SF. INQUIRY RECEIVED TODAY FROM MR. CARTER, WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS BEING WITH INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE, AUSTIN, TEXAS, REQUESTING INFORMATION OF EP OFFICE AS TO PRESENT ADDRESS OF JENCKS AND WHETHER HE HAD A DAUGHTER. IT WAS SUGGESTED HE MAKE INQUIRIES THROUGH DEPT. OF JUSTICE. SIMILAR INQUIRY RECEIVED FROM INS REPRESENTATIVE, MR. MC ELROY, 1:10 P.M. THIS DATE. SIGNIFICANCE OF REQUESTED INFORMATION NOT KNOWN TO EP OFFICE AND NO SIMILAR INQUIRIES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED. LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE ADVISED REQUEST MADE BY INS OFFICE, NYC, AND BASIS FOR INQUIRY UNKNOWN.

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Communists Like Court Decision In Jencks Case

Herald-Post Washington Bureau
WASHINGTON, June 10. — The Supreme Court decision which ordered a new trial for Clinton Jencks, Mine-Mill leader convicted in El Paso of lying when he signed an anti-Communist affidavit, was page one news in the Daily Worker. The Daily Worker, the Communist Party's paper, rejoiced at length editorially at the decision—which held the Government must make available to defendants such as Jencks secret reports from undercover agents, when these agents testify.

"The Supreme Court," the Worker said, "is simply reflecting the great popular revulsion against the notorious informer-witness system used by the Justice Department and J. Edgar Hoover's Federal Bureau of Investigation in the last decade of thought-control prosecutions."

See Officials Frenzied

"Brownell - Hoover circles and their Senate and House pals" are in a "frenzy" over the decision, the Red paper said.

"They have a vested interest in the witch-hunt and the great anti-labor trusts behind them have an even deeper interest.

"These are the underlying reasons for the bitter dissent of the prosecutor-minded Justice Tom Clark . . . These are the underlying reasons for the frenzy of Representative Francis Walter, the Hearst and Scripps-Howard press."

Walter, a Pennsylvania Democrat, is author of a measure which would plug the loophole created by the Supreme Court decision and permit the FBI and other Government investigative agencies to keep secret reports secret.

More Rejoicing

In its "news" story about the decision, the Worker said:

"In labor and civil liberties circles, today's decision was regarded as extremely significant in the fight against cases featured by tailor-made testimony and professional Government witnesses."

In the cases of three United Electrical Workers Union men, similar legal issues have been raised, the Worker said, and hopefully added they also were brought up in the case against the Communist Party filed by the Justice Department before the Subversive Activities Control Board.

Jencks' picture appeared on page one of the Worker with the story about the High Court decision.

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[redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, [redacted] offices located on the 4th floor of the Tabor Building, 16th & Curtis Streets, Denver, Colorado. The International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (IUMMSW) occupies a suite of offices on the 4th floor of this building.

The identity of this confidential source of information must be covered by a "T" symbol so that the existence of this source will not become known to any outside agency. It is noted that because of the nature of this source, it will be impossible to recontact regarding information furnished.

Date information received - June 6, 1957

Identity of employees who can testify as to receipt of exhibit - SA L. RUSSELL HASHEMAN.

The following disposition is being made of the original exhibit: Destroyed.

Description of exhibit:

"Legal Expense
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"Travis Case

"Nat Witt	3022.36
Menin & Deikman	2765.25
J. Arthur Phelps	3250.00
Vesta Wine	1705.70
Western Mechanics	159.94

- 3 - San Francisco (RM) (100-1122-61)
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"E. B. Elfers	2337.21
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Sam Menin	1550.00
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Menin & Deikman	13.70
A.C. Valenzuela	1567.15
John B. Wright	322.38
Hannett & Hannett,	3800.65
Harry L. Bigbee	3929.83
Ward & Paul	414.17
Cameron Associates	6.00
Clerk U. S. Supreme Court	3500.00

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The above information is being furnished to El Paso and San Francisco for their information as a matter of interest.

DIRECTOR, FBI (140-15418) & SACS,
SAN FRANCISCO & BALTIMORE

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SAC, EL PASO (140-159)

ANNA CATHERINE HOLMAN, AKA; HEW, SGE. BUDED OCTOBER 14. RE
BALTIMORE AIRTEL TO EL PASO DATED OCTOBER 10 REQUESTING
DOCUMENTATION CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS. SAN FRANCISCO, ORIGIN
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BALTIMORE WITH DOCUMENTATION OF JENCKS. RUC.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, EL PASO (100-4001)

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-34601)

SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LMRA
SM-C

DATE: November 22, 1957

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Mr. FRANK TAYLOR, Personnel Manager, Oliver Tire and Rubber Company, 4341 San Pablo Avenue, Emeryville, California, furnished SA ROLAND M. COCKER on November 18, 1957, with an employment application with this firm which had been completed by the subject on October 29, 1956.

Subject listed one of his employments with the Maslow Airconditioning Company, Tucson, Arizona, from May, 1947, through January, 1956, as a sheet metal helper and maintenance mechanic. The reason for his leaving this employment was given as "Tucson shop closed".

Mr. TAYLOR advised SA ROLAND M. COCKER that he thereafter wrote a letter to the Maslow Airconditioning Company at Tucson as a routine matter to verify subject's employment with this firm. TAYLOR received a commendatory reply from M. MASLOW, Owner, indicating that the subject was employed with this firm from May, 1947, to January, 1956, as a sheet metal helper-maintenance mechanic. His job attitude was considered excellent and he was eligible for rehire.

This information is being furnished to your office in view of the apparent contradiction in the dates of employment, whereas subject's summary report indicates that he was employed with the International Union of Mine, Mill, and Smelter Workers during this time.

No further action contemplated by San Francisco.

Photostats of subject's application will be included in the San Francisco 1A Exhibit Envelope.

- 2 - El Paso
- 1 - Phoenix (100-3170)
- 2 - San Francisco
- 1 - 122-124

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Judge Thomason Dismisses Charges Against Jencks

U. S. District Judge R. E. Thomason Tuesday "with regret" dismissed charges against anti-Red affidavit violator Clinton Edward Jencks. He remains convinced of Jencks' guilt, the judge said.

In a surprise New Year's Eve hearing at 10 a. m. Tuesday, the judge whose sentence of Jencks was reversed by the Supreme Court, granted a motion for dismissal "reluctantly" requested by the Justice Department.

Jencks was indicted here April 20, 1953, for denying Communist Party membership and affiliation in an affidavit filed with the National Labor Relations Board in 1950.

"The defendant was tried in this courtroom by a fair and impartial jury and found guilty," observed Judge Thomason in an emotion-laden voice as he reviewed the historic case.

Nationally prominent from the start, the Jencks case rocked foundations of law enforcement procedure when the U. S. Supreme Court ruled June 3, 1957, that the conviction was illegal because Jencks' counsel had been denied access to all FBI reports.

Thomason sentenced Jencks to

five years in prison Jan. 21, 1954.

"This court thought he was guilty then, thinks he is guilty now, so he can understand how the district attorney is reluctantly constrained to present this motion," the judge said.

CONTEMPT SENTENCE

The judge also berated Harvey Matusow, turnabout government witness who helped convict Jencks, later said he lied. Matusow was sentenced for contempt of court by Thomason but that sentence, also, was reversed by the Supreme Court.

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Charges Dismissed On Jencks

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Department of Justice to advise the court that, after careful study of this case, it has been concluded that on the available evidence the government cannot successfully retry this defendant and, therefore, the government reluctantly is constrained to move to dismiss the indictment in this matter."

Jencks was represented at the hearing by E. B. Elfers, El Paso attorney, who had no comment other than to say he would file a request with the court for return of Jencks' \$10,000 cash bond.

Elfers said Jencks was living "in some little town near San Francisco" and was "no longer connected with the labor movement in any way."

Judge Thomason's comments reflected some bitterness at times. When Pine brought the case before the court, he referred to it by number and name, adding, "which case I am sure the court is most familiar with . . ."

The judge interrupted at that point to say:

"Yes, he remembers the case."

RULE, RESULTS

After the Supreme Court ruling regarding FBI records last June, chaotic conditions resulted for a time from widely-varied interpretations of the edict.

Judge Thomason observed at the time that legislation defining the court's meeting would be necessary to preserve the usefulness of the FBI. Such legislation has since been passed by Congress.

Text of the court's message in granting the motion is as follows:

"Well, gentlemen, as you know, and as courts and lawyers and the public generally through the country know, the Supreme Court has about disposed of this case, so when the district attorney, speaking for the attorney general and the Department of Justice, says in his motion, 'that, after careful study of this cause it has been concluded that on the available evidence the government cannot successfully retry this defendant, Clinton Edward Jencks, and therefore is reluctantly constrained to make this motion to dismiss the indictment pending against him,' this court has no alternative but to grant the motion and dismiss the case."

"The defendant was tried in this very courtroom by a fair and impartial jury and found guilty. This court thought he was guilty then, thinks he is guilty now, so he can understand how the district attorney is reluctantly constrained to present this motion."

"It is a rather historic case in a good many respects. The witness Matusow was found guilty of contempt by this court in a malicious attempt to obstruct justice."

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"I understand Matusow is now in a penitentiary in New York State after conviction for perjury. This court feels in view of the record that the defendant should be in the same kind of an institution."

"In these dangerous days, men like Jencks and Matusow, who have no respect for our law and courts and who will tear down and destroy our system of free government, should not be permitted to run at large if the evidence is sufficient for conviction; so, this court now dismisses the

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"The court now signs in open court the order of dismissal (signing name), and by the same act rings out the old year and hopes the new one will be a better one for all of us."

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-39680)

DATE: 1/28/58

FROM : SAC, EL PASO (122-8)

SUBJECT: CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS
ACT, 1947
(SECURITY MATTER)

OO: El Paso

For the information of the designated offices who have not previously been advised of the disposition of this case and who have previously conducted investigation or endeavored to locate suitable witnesses in connection with captioned matter, this is to advise that the case against CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS at El Paso, Texas was dismissed in United States District Court at El Paso on 12/31/57 and a closing report has been submitted by El Paso.

These offices are advised that the San Francisco Office is the office of origin concerning the case entitled "CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, IS-C" and that any further information concerning the activities of JENCKS should be reported to the San Francisco and interested offices.

No further action is being taken concerning this matter by the El Paso Division.

- 2 - Bureau (1 - 100-39680)
(1 - 122-232)
- 1 - Anchorage (100-2102) (info)
- 1 - Boston (info)
- 1 - Chicago (info)
- 1 - Cincinnati (122-28)
(info)
- 1 - San Antonio (100-7353) (info)
- 2 - San Francisco (1 - 100-34601)
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- 1 - Seattle (122-65) (info)
- 1 - Washington Field (122-55)
- 4 - El Paso (1 - 100-4001) (JENCKS)
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SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LMRA, 1947 (SM)

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Mrs. PAULINE SILVEUS, Deputy U. S. Clerk of Court, on 2/27/58 advised SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS that a check was issued against the U. S. Registry Account of the U. S. Government through the U. S. Clerk of Court at El Paso on 1/14/58 in the amount of \$10,000 payable to CLINTON E. JENCKS. This check bore a registry number of 2191.

She advised that on Monday, 2/24/58, or Tuesday, 2/25/58, that the El Paso National Bank, upon which bank the check was drawn, sent a messenger over with the check and attached to the check was a Power of Attorney which had been given to HAROLD SANDERSON by CLINTON E. JENCKS, subscribed and sworn to before a notary public in the State of California, agreeing to indemnify and hold harmless the El Paso National Bank and all other endorsers against any loss suffered as a result of acting in this power without notice.

She advised that she made a copy of the Power of Attorney; however, it did not turn out too legible, the signature and dates appearing thereon were not clear.

She furnished a copy of the typewritten Power of Attorney, however, and it is being made a part of the El Paso file until such time as the original will be returned to the U. S. Clerk of Court which should be on 3/3 or 4, as they returned the checks to the Clerk shortly after the first of the month.

Upon receipt of this information, the San Francisco and Denver Offices will be advised of the details thereof.

The above is for record purposes.

- 1 - 100-4001 (C. JENCKS)
- 1 - 100-2263 (IUMSW)

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CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT, 1947
SECURITY MATTER

OO: El Paso

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OO: San Francisco

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Mrs. PAULINE SILVERUS, Deputy U.S. Clerk of Court, El Paso, Texas, on 3/4/58 advised SA WILLIAM E. NIMMINS of the El Paso Office that the check number 2191 issued against the U.S. Registry Account of the U.S. Government through the U.S. Clerk of Court, at El Paso, Texas, on January 14, 1958 to CLINTON E. JENCKS in the amount of \$10,000, had been returned as paid with their regular monthly statement.

She indicated that this was a refund of the Enlargement Bond on the case number 54013 criminal, styled USA versus CLINTON E. JENCKS, and that the refund was based on an order dated 1/14/58 that the bond be returned.

Attached to the check was a power of attorney, which appeared to have been given by CLINTON E. JENCKS to HAROLD SANDERSON. This document was notarized by one MORRIS TEPPING, Notary Public of Contra Costa County, California, on February 14, 1958.

- 2 - Bureau (REG. AIR MAIL)
- 2 - Denver (1 - 122-9) (ENCLS. 2) (REG. MAIL)
(1 - 100-1934)
- 2 - San Francisco (ENCLS. 2) (REG. MAIL)
- ③ - El Paso (1 - 100-4001) (JENCKS)
(1 - 100-2263) (IUMSW)

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A copy of the check and power of attorney are being furnished herewith to the Denver and San Francisco Offices for the completion of their records. The original of this check and power of attorney is in possession of the Deputy U.S. Clerk of Court at El Paso, Texas, and would be available upon Subpoena Duces Tecum, if necessary.

According to the El Paso files, the San Francisco Office is the office of origin of the case entitled CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, IS-C, and the Denver Office is the office of origin concerning HAROLD SANDERSON, who may be identical with the individual given power of attorney in this instance.

No further action is being taken concerning this matter by the El Paso Division inasmuch as the LARA, 1947 (SM) case against JENCKS of which the El Paso Office was the office of origin, has been closed.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, EL PASO

FROM: SA WILLIAM H. NIMMINS

SUBJECT: COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
ROCKY MOUNTAIN DISTRICT
EL PASO DIVISION
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: 9/12/58

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IT IS SUGGESTED THAT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION, IF DISSEMINATED TO OUTSIDE SOURCES, BE CAREFULLY SUMMARIZED AND PARAPHRASED IN ORDER TO AVOID COMPROMISING BUREAU INFORMANT.

El Paso, Texas
Sept. 9, 1958

Following are notes of the conversation carried on through [redacted]
[redacted] Sept. 9, 1958:

(1) PATRICIA BLAWIS said she collected \$250.00 while she was in San Francisco. PATRICIA said she worked during the day and then did soliciting in the evenings when she was able to.

(2) JACK BLAWIS [redacted] recently loaned to JACK. The check was dated Sept. 6, 1958, for \$10.00 and drawn on the State National Bank of El Paso, and [redacted] signed JOHN S. BLAWIS.

(3) PATRICIA BLAWIS [redacted] two young men, "Pacifists," rode back with her and her granddaughter, (7 yrs. old) to Denver, Colorado. PATRICIA said that the two "Pacifists" were on their way to the large missile base being in the (Northwest). PATRICIA said they camped one night on the Salt Lake beach, at Salt Lake City.

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(4) [REDACTED] JACK met her in Albuquerque and went the rest of the way with her back to El Paso. Then JACK said he took the bus to Albuquerque and then went directly to the home of ANNA MEDIC, where PATRICIA planned to meet him. JACK said that when he arrived at ANNA MEDIC's place no one was at home. JACK said he then walked back towards the bus station and he met PATRICIA heading for MEDIC's place. Then JACK told about their driving to the high Sandia Ridge road (under construction) and camping overnight before going back down the mountain drive.

(5) PATRICIA said she visited NATHALIE GROSS since she (PATRICIA) returned from San Francisco.

(6) PATRICIA BLAWIS [REDACTED] visited with CLINTON JENCKS and his family. She said that JENCKS learned the machinists trade and has been working as a machinist. PATRICIA [REDACTED] JENCKS recently became a shop steward and he has been having trouble since then. PATRICIA said he and his son built a bedroom on their house.

(7) PATRICIA BLAWIS [REDACTED] and her 7 yr. old granddaughter, JACKIE, stayed with SHIRLEY in San Francisco. PATRICIA said SHIRLEY is single and was 21 yrs. old and "naive" when she (SHIRLEY) and herself (PATRICIA) were arrested in the "Harboring" case. PATRICIA said that when SHIRLEY was asked if she used narcotics SHIRLEY thought it meant ordinary pills and answered "yes." PATRICIA said she was in jail with SHIRLEY.

PATRICIA said she went to a big wedding party with SHIRLEY. PATRICIA said the party was held in the home of the bride's parents. The bride's parents were wealthy Jews who lived in a mansion in the exclusive section of San Francisco. The bride's father was retired.

(8) PATRICIA BLAWIS [REDACTED] attended a "Peace Vigil" held in Livermore, a town near San Francisco. PATRICIA recommended [REDACTED] an account of that meeting, as it is reported in the 8/16/58 issue of "Peoples World." (The "Peoples World" reports that Captain BERT BIGELOW of the Golden Rule Yacht attended the Livermore Peace meeting.

(9) [REDACTED] the Captain of the Golden Rule Yacht who recently got out of jail and who made a speech which was tape recorded. PATRICIA told where the Captain made the speech - (either at the wedding party or at the Livermore Peace meeting).

PATRICIA said she is going to ask GEORGE TYSON if he would care to use the Captain's tape recording in one of his Peace Education meetings. (GEORGE TYSON has used material from the American Friends Service Committee) PATRICIA said she planned to visit GEORGE TYSON on Sunday, 9/7/58, to tell GEORGE about the recording.

(10) PATRICIA BLAWIS said she and JACK spent the afternoon, 9/6/58, in Juarez, Mexico, shopping because things are cheaper there. PATRICIA said she bought some one-peso cigars for JACK and JACK got his hair cut there.

(11) [REDACTED] trip to the Big Bend. PATRICIA said she would like to see more of that area. She would like to go in September. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

(12) PATRICIA BLAWIS said they expect soon to move into the rooms across the hallway from their rooms.

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Jencks To Testify At Congressional Teacher Probe

San Francisco. (AP)—Clinton Jencks, former Mine-Mill Union international representative at Bayard, N. M., is among 40 witnesses under summons to testify here in a House Committee on Un-American Activities hearing on Communist operations among California school teachers.

The hearing was to have opened Wednesday. But Washington officials announced that the date for the hearing has been indefinitely postponed to allow time for further investigation.

A key witness in the hearings is expected to be an undercover FBI agent who has been posing as a Communist.

Another major witness is Jencks, 40. The U. S. Supreme Court in 1957 set aside his conviction of falsely swearing he was not a Communist. It directed that FBI information against him be opened to inspection by defense attorneys. The government decided not to retry the case under that requirement.

STUDY TEACHERS

Committee Chairman Francis E. Walter (D-Pa) said the purpose of the San Francisco hearings was to "look into the extent, character, and the objectives of the Communist party in putting members into the teaching profession."

Another 70 teachers are being summoned to hearings in Los Angeles starting June 22.

All of the San Francisco hearing witnesses except the undercover FBI agent and Jencks were said to be working teachers.

Jencks, now a mechanic in Albany, Calif., will start study next fall at the University of California under a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship from the Ford Foundation. He will work for a master's degree in economics.

Jencks was New Mexico district leader of the International Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers Union when he was convicted of falsely signing a Taft-Hartley non-Communist affidavit.

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The El Paso Branch of the Communist Party has not expressed any interest in the information given in the enclosed clippings concerning the Payton Packing Company and the case of Clinton Jenks in relation to recent hearings in Washington.

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Clinton Jencks' Fellowship Is Reconsidered

Herald-Post Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, July 24. — The Woodrow Wilson Fellowship Foundation apparently may be taking a new look at its action granting a fellowship to Clinton E. Jencks, former New Mexico labor leader convicted of perjury for denying he was a Red.

The foundation awarded Jencks a fellowship to study during the next school year at the University of California at Berkeley. He was to specialize in economics, preparatory to teaching.

Jencks, whose conviction in El Paso Federal Court was overturned by the Supreme Court on a technicality, appeared in closed session before the House Un-American Activities Committee Wednesday.

He there took the Fifth Amendment more than two dozen times, according to Representative Gordon Scherer, Ohio Republican, a committee member, when questioned about alleged Communist connections.

Hans Rosenhaup, national director of the Foundation, which has its headquarters at Princeton, N. J., said today, "we are in touch with the committee" about Jencks' appearance.

The chairman of the board which governs the Foundation, Cleo F. Craig, former chairman of the Board of American Telephone and Telegraph Co., indicated a decision would be left up to the operating heads of the fellowship Foundation.

"They very thoroughly investigated and looked over" Jencks' application before selecting him for the grant, Craig said.

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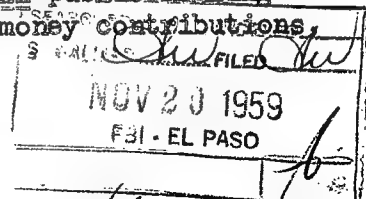
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On the 11th of Nov. 1959

NATH as usual mentioned that during the Xmas rush she was kept rather busy, with many, many Avon orders to deliver, and that she had many people to see. That she had not had time to start work on the leaflet, political, that she had mentioned.

She mentioned that PAT BLEWIS had often phoned her and they had talked over the phone. That PAT had not done much in the church, but mabey if she was contacted that she, PAT, might be interested in getting some program going. NATH mentioned that she had not been to church, Unitarian, of late, and that as far as she knew not program was being carried on since two months ago.

NATH mentioned that she was just getting in touch with as many people as possible during her working day, and that this was the best way to educate the people in the political field. That the response was great as far as political turn outs were concerned in her area, and this indicated that the people were beginning to understand the meaning of meetings, etc. She indicated that she had been very, very disappointed during the JENKS case. That she had suggested a few things to some persons, action during the trial, and that she had been made to understand that she was not welcomed around those persons. So since then she had changed her attitude about many things, specially so her activities. She contrasted the JENKS case with that of HUMBERTO SILEX, and showed that during the SILEX case Union members, wives etc. had turned out, there was coffee served, and the generall-public feeling was entirely different. There was public support with many money contributions, which was not so in the JENKS case.



She further mentioned that since ALFREDO MONTOYA had many times indicated that he wanted nothing to do with her that she sure would not see him or care as to what he was doing, that is besides fumble around the Hall, and deny the leadership that the Union should have. NATH was rather disturbed [redacted] that BILL JARVIS had not asked about her [redacted]. This lack of interest in JARVIS certainly got her to thinking about his status.

[redacted] have the Petition concerning the Mexican people which is now before the United Nations, and [redacted] have a discussion on that, she agreed that there should be some get together on that, with the possibility of PAT BLEWIS coming in.

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[REDACTED] NATHALIE GROSS on 11-11-59;
at which time GROSS mentioned she had been in
contact by phone with PATRICIA BLAWIS. She men-
tioned she is busy with Xmas orders for Avon products, was disappointed in
JENCKS' case. She mentioned ALFREDO MONTOYA does not want to associate with
her. She expressed concern that BILL JARVIS had not asked about her recently.
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CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, SM-C.

ON ELEVEN NINETEEN SIXTY THREE, IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE, NYC, ADVISED THAT JENCKS, SUBJ OF AN F - ONE STOP PLACED BY THE SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE WAS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN NYC ON THE QUEEN ELIZABETH ON ELEVEN TWENTY SIXTY THREE. JENCKS IS TRAVELING UNDER U.S. PASSPORT NUMBER THREE FIVE TWO ZERO SIX EIGHT.

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